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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Total Claims	18	MINUS	22	0	x-9 =	x-18 = 0
Independent Claims	5	MINUS	6	0	x 40 =	x 80 = 0
Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid					\$135.00	\$270.00
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- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition for a _____ extension(s) of time to respond to the aforementioned Office Action.
- ☒ Applicant(s) believe that no (additional) Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant(s) hereby petition that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0388 (Order No. VISAP026).
- ☐ Enclosed is our Check No. _____ in the amount of \$_____ to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
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AMENDMENT A

Box Non-Fee Amendment
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2001, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In The Claims:

Please cancel claims 19-22.

Please amend claims 5 and 9 as follows: Note that all pending claims are reproduced for the Examiner's convenience. Those claims that have been amended are displayed with an asterisk (*).

1. A smart card loading system for loading value over a telecommunications network onto a smart card, said smart card loading system comprising:

a mobile telephone handset in communication with said telecommunications network, said handset including a card reader for communicating with a smart card arranged to be inserted in said handset, and an input interface for indicating a value to be loaded onto said smart card, said handset being arranged to generate a request message to load said value onto said smart card;